

## Confederate

### Veteran's Widow

### At Oakland

Hattie Patterson, 88, of Mississippi's surviving Civil War veterans, at the home of her daughter in Oakland, Miss. Feb. 14, Baptist. Mrs. Patterson had a church leader all her life and her influence will be felt in the Oakland area. Miss. Hattie as she was affectionately known by all her friends, was the widow of Frank Patterson, member of the 1st Mississippi Cavalry Regiment, Company "D" under General Nathan Bedford Forrest. Mr. Patterson was killed by the Federal Troops at Selma, Ala. and honorably discharged from the Confederate Army at Columbus, Ga. in the spring of 1864.

Mrs. Patterson is survived by three daughters, four sons, seven grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Patterson was buried in the Oakland Cemetery, with Rev. J. Pannell and Dr. W. A. Nelson, pastor of First, Oakland, officiating.

## 40-Voice Choir

### Sings At

### Magnolia St.

The highlight of Baptist College Day February 19, at Magnolia Street Church, Laurel, was a program of sacred music rendered by the Mississippi College Choir under the direction of Dr. Jack Lyall, chairman of the music department.

The 40-voice choral group, composed of Mississippi College students, performed before the largest audience ever gathered in the church's auditorium.

Besides the choral numbers, the program included several local solos.

Rev. Damon V. Vaughn is pastor of the church; Evio C. Oliveira is Minister of Music.

## Yalobusha Pastors

### New Conference

After the third Sunday of each month at 10 A. M. at the Coffeeville Church.

Others present and participating in the organization were: Rev. Dale Wilson, Tilla-loba; Rev. W. C. Howard, First Church, Water Valley; Rev. A. M. Tutor, Bethel Church, Yalobusha County; Rev. G. B. Bassden, Coffeeville Church; Rev. James C. Carr, O'Fallon Church; Rev. S. E. Mullins, Pleasant Grove; Rev. Bobby Shands, Moderator of the Grenada Association and pastor of Hardy Church; Rev. Lynton Cooper, Gore Springs; and Rev. George Nichols, Emmanuel Church, Grenada.

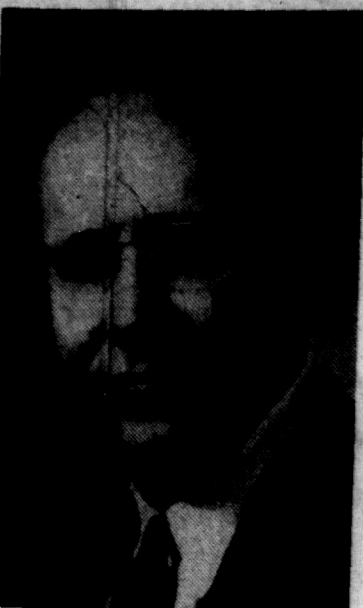


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## To Gospel Ministry

NEW ORLEANS, La. — A Los Angeles surgeon, Dr. Herbert Anderson, Jr., will deliver a series of lectures March 1-3 at New Orleans Seminary. Dr. Anderson will deliver the Thompson lectures on the general subject, "The Preacher From the Layman's Viewpoint." The lectures were established in 1926 through a gift by James A. Thompson of New Orleans, who delivered the first series in 1926.

# WMU Convention Meets In Tupelo March 28-29



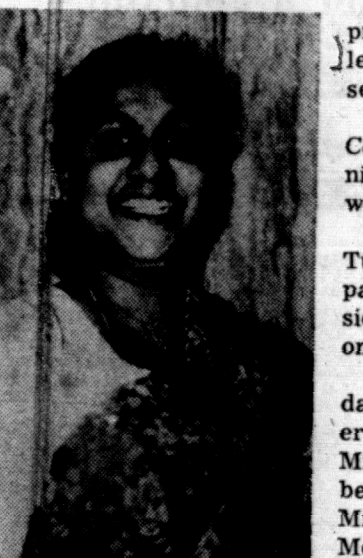
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## Race Issue Affects Missions, Says Means

NASHVILLE — (BP) — Southern Baptists were reminded here again that foreign missionaries "do face the race problem."

Dr. Frank K. Means, Richmond, area secretary for Latin America for the Convention's Foreign Mission Board, said missionaries feel the race problem in America is a "serious deterrent" to Christian witness overseas.

"Sometimes it creates a gap

between the missionary and the people he wants most to reach for Christ," Means exclaimed. Means spoke before the Southern Baptist Advisory Council on Work with Negro Baptists.

The Council helps recommend ways in which Southern Baptists may work with Negro Baptists, but the Council is not an official agency of the Convention. Its membership, however, includes representatives from SBC agencies and from state Baptist Departments of Negro Work.

"The world is looking to us to prove whether democracy or Christianity is relevant," Means continued. "If we can't solve our problem, one or the other is on trial."

Worldwide Problem

He acknowledged race is a worldwide problem. Racial conflicts, he said, exist in other countries between various

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Mississippi Baptist Woman's Missionary Union will convene in Tupelo this year—March 28-29—for the first time since 1930, according to Miss Edwina Robinson, Executive Secretary.

"Christ For The World" will be the theme for the two-day conclave, to begin Tuesday morning at 9:30 with adjournment scheduled for 4:30 Wednesday afternoon.

One of the features of the Convention will be an unusually large number of outstanding speakers.

Nordenhaug to Appear

Visiting speakers will include Dr. Josef Nordenhaug, of Washington, D. C., Executive Secretary of the Baptist World Alliance; Miss Mercy Jeyaraja Rao, principal of a Baptist Girls' school in India and representative to the Baptist World Alliance; Mrs. R. L. Mathis, of Waco, Texas, president of Southern Baptist WMU; Dr. Sam Rankin, missionary to Hong Kong; Miss Edna Woolfer, director of Baptist Good Will Center in Washington, D. C.; Glendon McCullough, personnel secretary, Southern Baptist Home Mission Board, Atlanta; Dr. C. W. Applewhite, medical missionary to Indonesia, and Rev. Troy Bennett, missionary to Pakistan.

Also scheduled for an address is Dr. Chester L. Quarles, Jackson, state Baptist Executive Secretary.

Over 1200 Expected

Over 1200 Baptist women from every section of the state are expected to attend. Mrs. J. T. Lyons, McComb, president, will preside over most of the sessions.

Most of the sessions will be held at First Baptist Church, Rev. Joe Gausey, pastor.

However, on Tuesday evening similar programs will be held at both First Baptist and Calvary Baptist Church, Rev. W. L. Day, pastor.

On Tuesday evening at 6:15 a series of missionary teas for members of Young Woman's Auxiliary, Girls' Auxiliary and Sunbeam Bands will be held at Calvary Church.

Several hundred young people from the Tupelo area are expected for this event. At 6:15 Tuesday evening also at Calvary Church the annual banquet for members of Night Circles will be held with Mrs. Mathis as the speaker.

Sunbeam Anniversary

Mrs. Joe T. Odle, Jackson, president of District 9, will lead in the annual memorial service on Tuesday afternoon.

One of the features of the Convention will be the 75th anniversary of Sunbeams, which will be held in August.

The twin programs scheduled Tuesday evening will feature panel discussions with six missionaries and visiting program on each.

The platform guests Wednesday morning will be the mothers of Mississippi missionaries. Missionary breakfasts will also be held Wednesday morning. Mrs. W. C. Tyler, of Blue Mountain, will lead the worship periods.

All the Baptist churches in District 5 will cooperate, along

with the Baptist churches in Tupelo, in entertaining the Convention. This will be the first major statewide Baptist meeting in Tupelo in several years.

Others to participate on program will include Dr. R. C. McGlamery of Ripley, Rev. and Mrs. Parkes Marler, missionaries to Korea and Rev. R. L. Mefford, Philadelphia, Miss., missionary to Choctaw Indians, and Mrs. Mefford.

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## 354-VOICE CHOIR SINGS FOR DETROIT MEETING

By Truett Smith

DETROIT (BP) — Singing by a 354-voice choir highlighted a fellowship meeting here of six Baptist groups.

The choir, led by Lester H. Case, assistant pastor of Covenant Baptist Church, Detroit, an American Baptist Convention church, included members of churches of the six participating groups.

Busloads of Southern Baptists from other cities in Michigan came here for the Baptist Jubilee Advance rally. Other groups in addition to the Southern and American conventions were the Baptist Federation of Canada; National Baptist Convention of America UNINC; National Baptist Convention, U. S. A., Inc.; and the North American Baptist General Conference.

## —First In State

## MEDICAL MISSIONS CONFERENCE SET

Mississippi's first Baptist Medical Missions Conference will be held at Camp Garaywa March 24-25 under the sponsorship of the Foreign Mission Board, Richmond, Mississippi Baptist Woman's Missionary Union, and the Department of Student Work of the Mississippi Baptist Convention Board, both of Jackson.

The Conference is an effort to bring firsthand information about the opportunities in medicine and related fields offered on Southern Baptist mission fields abroad; the training need; and the appointment procedures.

It has been planned with three groups in mind: (1) practicing physicians, dentists, nurses, medical technicians, and hospital administrators; (2) students in the above fields; and (3) junior and senior college students in pre-professional training for the fields listed, be discussions on Friday night.

## Begin Friday

Registration will begin at 5:00 p.m. Friday and the program at 7:00 p.m. There will be Saturday afternoon, and Saturday night dealing with diseases treated, healing institutions and equipment, working conditions, and witnessing opportunities.

Leaders will include the following missionaries: Mrs. Lloyd H. Neil, nurse, Nigeria; Miss Wanda Ponder, nurse, Paraguay; Dr. C. Winfield Applewhite, M. D., Indonesia; Mrs. C. Winfield Applewhite;

Dr. Franklin Fowler, M. D., Mexico; Miss Edna Frances Dawkins, associate secretary, Department of Missionary Personnel, Foreign Mission Board, (Head of Medical Division); and Miss Estelle Slater, Associate, Student Department, (Continued on Page 2)

## Parochial Bus Rides Upheld By U.S. Court

WASHINGTON — (BP) — The United States Supreme Court has reaffirmed the constitutionality of publicly paid bus rides for parochial school pupils.

The court, by a 7 to 2 ruling, in a brief per curiam (by the Court) order turned down an appeal from a group of citizens on Newtown, Conn., declaring that "the appeal is dismissed for want of a substantial Federal question."

The Newtown citizens group had sought to argue that when a community provides transportation for pupils who attend a religious school it is a form of direct support of such religious education, and, hence, a violation of the First Amendment.

The Attorney General of Connecticut argued that the con-

stitutionality of federal aid to education is not at issue.

WASHINGTON — The Roman Catholic Bishops of the United States have declared war on President Kennedy's proposals to aid the public schools of the nation because he has not included parochial schools in his program.

The president has taken an adamant stand that public aid to parochial schools is unconstitutional. Last year while a senator he voted against loans for parochial schools.

High sources close to the president have assured the Baptist press that he has determined not to waver in his stand for the public schools and in opposition to aid to parochial schools, including loans.

In a press conference the president said that the Constitution clearly prohibits aid to parochial schools. He cited the opinions of the Supreme Court in the Everson case to back up his position.

Catholics In Session

While the president was talking to the press, the administrative board of the National Catholic Welfare Conference, composed of the five Roman Catholic Cardinals in the United States and 10 Archbishops and Bishops who head departments in the conference, was in session deciding its stand on federal aid to education.

A report of the meeting of the bishops reveals that they:

- (1) Took a neutral position of federal aid to education;
- (2) Demanded participation of Catholic school children if federal aid to education bill is passed;
- (3) Declared that this participation could take place through long-term, low-interest loans to private schools;
- (4) Announced opposition to any federal aid to education bill that excluded Roman Catholic school children.

## Picture Shaping Up

Thus an interesting political picture is shaping up. We see many conservative Democrats and Republicans who are normally opposed to federal aid to education in the same bed with the Catholic bishops unless they can have aid for their own schools.

On the other hand we see

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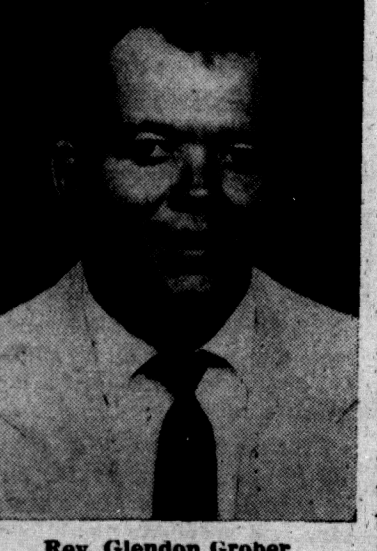
Coaching and Education, James Parkman, Clinton; Law, George Estes, Jr., Gulfport; Medicine, Ben Kitchens, Long Beach; Agriculture, Roy Kuykendall, Newton; Pastors, Dr. Joe Cothen, Jackson; Church Music, Jacques Kerns, Jackson; Foreign Missions, Mr. Grober; Home Missions, Rev. Dick Mefford, Philadelphia.

Music will be under direction of Paul Adams, minister of music, First Church, Laurel.

The devotional period will be led by Mr. Mefford, who is a Home Mission Board missionary to the Choctaw Indians.

The Congress is sponsored by the Brotherhood Department of the Mississippi Baptist Convention Board, Rev. E. L. Howell, secretary.

Rev. Glendon Grober



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## State RA Congress March 16-18

March 16-18 is the date for the Royal Ambassador Congress to be held at Gulfshore Baptist Assembly, according to Lee Ferrell, associate, state Brotherhood Department.

The meeting will get underway at 2:00 p.m. Thursday with registration and room assignment. Adjournment is set for 8:30 Saturday morning.

Rev. Glendon D. Grober, Southern Baptist missionary to Equatorial Brazil, and a native of Vicksburg, will be the main speaker. He will bring two messages, one on Thursday night and one Friday night.

## Conference Leaders

Conference leaders with the conferences scheduled are as follows:

## Washington Star Hits Church's Bid

WASHINGTON — (BP) — A newspaper here has criticized the demand of the Roman Catholic bishops for a share in federal aid to education for their parochial schools.

The Washington Post in an editorial recognized the right of the Roman Catholic church to take a position on education and to press for general acceptance of that view. At the same time the newspaper disagreed with the position the bishops took.

The administrative board of

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## SBC Cooperative Gifts Down 5%

NASHVILLE — (BP) — Cooperative Program income for the Southern Baptist Convention for the first two months of 1961 trails the income for the first two months of 1960.

A report by Convention Treasurer Porter Routh here shows it is behind 5.1 per cent of \$143,000. The 1961 total to date is \$2.8 million.

Designations for the months of January and February, 1961, are up slightly over comparative months last year. The increase is from \$6,212,196 to \$6,304,595, about 1-1/2 per cent.

Total income for the year thus far, the sum of both categories, is lagging behind 1960 — \$9,104,861 against last year's \$9,155,198.

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## Cooperative Gifts Drop In State

Mississippi Baptist Cooperative Program receipts for the first four months of this Convention year, November thru February, totaled \$748,407.55, a decrease of .8 per cent under the \$754,699.40 given the same period a year ago.

Dr. Chester L. Quarles, Executive Secretary - Treasurer, who announced the figures, said that receipts in February were \$174,490.37, a decrease of 11.4 per cent under the \$208,142.44 given in February of last year.



## Names In The News

Rev. F. M. Jenkins has resigned as pastor of Skline Baptist Church in Lee Association.

Rev. Billy Langley has accepted the call to become pastor of Brewer Church in Lee Association.

Dr. John Barnes, pastor of Main Street Church, Hattiesburg, was the featured speaker for the Jackson County Association Brotherhood meeting on February 27.

Rev. Claude Fortenberry, pastor of First Church, Kreole, and Rev. L. G. Camp, pastor of Pineview Church, both in Jackson Association, have recently held revivals in California.

Dr. S. R. Woodson, pastor of First Church, Columbus, and Mrs. Woodson are in San Francisco, Calif., this week where Dr. Woodson is attending the annual meeting of the trustees of Golden Gate Seminary.

Mrs. B. E. Phillips, Jackson, widow of the late Rev. B. E. Phillips who for many years was pastor at Newhebron, was featured in a recent issue of "The Years Ahead," a publication of the Annuity Board, Dallas, Texas. The article was written by Anne Washburn McWilliams, editorial assistant for the Baptist Record.

Rev. Bob Louk, former Mississippian, has accepted the pastorate of First Baptist Church, Jay, Florida, where he began his duties February 19. He moved to Florida from Decatur, Alabama.

Dr. Kermit Canterbury was recently honored with a reception given by Griffith Memorial Church, Jackson, in observance of his fourth anniversary as their pastor. J. L. Mahaffey, Chairman of Deacons, presented cash gifts, with expressions of appreciation to Dr. Canterbury on behalf of the church. During the past four years the church has made a substantial increase in the budget and in gifts to the Cooperative Program and missionary causes, has completed and redecorated the educational building, air-conditioned the church, and added several members to the church staff.

Miss Fannie Starns, missionary to Thailand, is returning to her work after furlough in the States. Her address is P. O. Box 832, Bangkok, Thailand. Miss Starns is a native of Hattiesburg.

Rev. Harold Tice, former pastor of Gulf Gardens Church, Gulfport, and now pastor of Wrens Church, Wrens, Georgia, recently served as Chaplain of the Georgia State Senate.

Rev. Thurman Booth, Monroe Street Church, Bogalusa, Louisiana, was guest speaker for the Sweetheart Banquet on Friday night, February 17, at Juniper Grove Church, Pearl River Association, Rev. Edward Jenkins, pastor. The Young People and Intermediates presented a playlet, "The Six Stages of Love," for the entertainment of the 52 people present.

Dr. Donald B. Roark, Executive Assistant, Mississippi Chemical Corporation, Yazoo City, was guest speaker for the Adult Banquet recently held at Calvary Church, Greenwood, Rev. Wilburn Matthews, pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Burgess were in charge of a special program for Juniors, using the theme, "Music and Its Message," at Lula Church, Madison County, on March 1. Rev. Harry Douglas is pastor. (A wiener roast followed the program).

Dr. Louis E. Dollarhide, professor of English at Mississippi College, received a special citation from Lyric magazine, a national literary publication. The citation, accompanied by an award of one hundred dollars, was given in observance of the forty-first year of publication for The Lyric. "The Gray Halo," written by Dr. Dollarhide, will serve as the script for a pageant to be presented in Jackson in connection with the Civil War Centennial celebration.

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## Royal Ambassador Congress

Gulfshore Baptist Assembly  
March 16-18, 1961



Dr. Joe Cothen, Pastor  
Alta Woods Church, Jackson

The following men will lead conferences during the Royal Ambassador Congress.

Conference	Leader
Coaching and Education	James Parkman
Law	George Estes, Jr.
Medicine	Ben Kitchens
Agriculture	Roy Kuykendall
Pastors	Joe Cothen
Church Music	Jacques Kearns
Foreign Missions	Glen Grober
Home Missions	Dick Mefford

The music will be under the direction of Mr. Paul Adams, Minister of Music, First Baptist Church, Laurel. Boys 12-16 years of age are urged to attend. Send registration fee of \$1.00 per person to Gulfshore Baptist Assembly, Pass Christian, Mississippi.

ARCHITECT'S view of the 89-room residence hall soon to be constructed by Mississippi College. Contracts were awarded Thursday of last week for the \$365,630 building. The residence hall will house approximately 178 students and be air-conditioned.

## Contracts Awarded For New Residence Hall At MC

The Board of Trustees of Mississippi College has awarded contracts for the construction of a completely air-conditioned women's residence hall.

T. M. Hederman, Jr., chairman of the executive committee of the Board of Trustees, said that the general contract was awarded to Frazier-Morton Construction Company of Jackson and Greenville on a low bid of \$253,090.

The three contracts awarded Thursday totaled \$365,630.

Some 100 persons were on hand in Nelson auditorium for the public opening of the bids. Other members of the college trustees executive committee present were Robert Gandy of Jackson, Dr. Landrum Leavell of Gulfport, and Judge Earl T. Thomas of Jackson.

Construction to Start Soon  
The architectural firm of Mattingly and Biggers of Jackson designed the residence hall and will supervise its construction.

## JFK and - - -

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A president, who is a Roman Catholic, taking a firm stand for separation of church and state but whose legislative program for education is being effectively blocked by his own church because the bishops do not want anybody to get a taste of the public pie unless they can have a slice of it too.

Increasingly it looks like the issue of loans for parochial schools may be the determining factor in the current effort for federal aid to education. Last year the Senate narrowly defeated an amendment to the Senate education bill which would provide long-term, low-interest loans for parochial school construction. The House of Representatives exercised more discernment in the issue involved and ruled that such a proposal was not germane to the issue of aid to education.

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The administration's bill may have only a 50-50 chance for survival in the 87 congress. Some observers think it has less than that. The administration's forces admit they are in for a bitter fight, but they think they will win.

If the president is firmly convinced that the extensive development of the nation's educational resources is essential for survival in the modern era, we may see a real battle between Mr. Kennedy and the Bishops. The metal of his national leadership may be tempered in this furnace.

Sen. Morse is chairman of the Senate subcommittee on education, and Rep. McCormack is House Democratic leader. Rep. Powell is chairman of the house labor and education committee.

President Kennedy's school aid bill is specifically for public schools only on the elementary and secondary level. Sen. Morse in February told

Construction is scheduled to begin immediately, with occupancy planned for the summer of 1962. The building will be located west of existing women's residence halls on Capitol Street.

With a total floor space of 32,400 square feet, the residence hall will house approximately 178 women students in 89 study bedrooms. On each of the three floors there will be a lounge with kitchenette facilities for informal meetings. There will also be a laundry room located on each floor.

The senate that the administration had asked him to be floor leader for the education bill and that he would not offer his parochial school amendment this year. He said he would practice what he preaches by laying aside one of his favorite proposals in order to secure agreement on a bill. He pleaded for other senators to do likewise on their favorite ideas.

Almost before the news channels could get 'Morse's' new position into print he reversed himself and announced that he would introduce his parochial amendment as part of the senate education bill.

Rep. McCormack in a TV interview filmed for New York stations with Sen. Kenneth B. Keating (R., N.Y.) split with the president and proposed that construction loans for parochial schools be written into the president's program.

McCormack made the point that such loans are not unconstitutional and that if aid were given to public schools but not to parochial schools the practical effect would be to make it more difficult for the parochial schools to operate.

In Concord, N. H., Sen. Styles Bridges (R., N.H.) said that he would support any effort to authorize government construction loans to private and parochial schools.

On a radio news conference Rep. Adam Clayton Powell (D., N.Y.) said that he would oppose loans to private and parochial schools because such legislation would make money available to southern school districts which have closed down public schools and are trying to operate private schools.

Last year the senate narrowly defeated the Morse amendment for parochial school loans, and the same proposal was ruled "not germane" to the aid to education bill under consideration in the house of representatives. Rep. Sam Rayburn (D., Tex.), Speaker of the House, has indicated that he wants the precedent set last year to stand.

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## School Aid Bill Hit By Catholics

NEW YORK (RNS) — A statement assailing the federal education aid program because it excludes parochial and other private elementary and secondary schools was read at all Masses in some 400 churches in the New York Roman Catholic archdiocese.

Priests read the declaration at the request of Msgr. Thomas A. Donnellan, archdiocesan chancellor, acting on behalf of Francis Cardinal Spellman, Archbishop of New York, who earlier attacked the program as "unfair" to parochial pupils.

The statement was a summary of a radio address made by Bishop James J. Navagh

for the convenience of the students. The exterior of the hall will be brick, accented by a decorative entrance into the spacious lobby and living room. Apartments for resident counselors are included on the first floor.

## Institute On Recreation Is First In Field

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — (BS-SD) — July 11-19 is the time and Southern seminary, Louisville, Ky., is the place for the very first summer church recreation institute.

It is co-sponsored by the Church Recreation Service of the Sunday School Board and Southern Seminary. Bob Boyd, recreation leadership consultant, will direct the conference. It will be the forerunner of educational opportunities in this field to be offered by southern Baptist seminaries.

## Washington - - -

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The National Catholic Welfare Conference recently demanded the right of Catholic children to participate in a federal aid to education program, advocated loans for parochial schools as a way for their participation, and announced opposition to any aid to education program that excluded catholic children.

The Washington Post said that President Kennedy's educational proposals for aid to the nation's public schools did not deny participation in public schools to any child in the United States, no matter what his religion or lack of religion.

Asserts Right of Parents  
Likewise the Washington Post asserted the right of parents to send their children to religious schools, but said that the government cannot constitutionally control these schools or support them in any way.

The bishops charged that Roman Catholic children were discriminated against if public aid did not come to their schools. But the Washington Post said that they are not discriminated against because the doors of the public schools remain open to all.

The Washington Post agreed with the implication of the bishops that grants could not be made to religious schools, but it also asserted that loans fell in the category of subsidization.

In conclusion the Washington Post said that the Catholic organization is at liberty to oppose the president's program if it chooses, "but if it does it may well doom federal aid to education in the process."

of Ogdensburg, N. Y., who declared that parochial school pupils should not be "justly handicapped because parents exercised their God-given right, recognized by the Constitution, to educate them in a private rather than a public school."

Msgr. Donnellan himself read the statement at a Solemn Mass in St. Patrick's Cathedral at which Cardinal Spellman presided before a congregation of about 1,500.

Full text of the statement also appeared in the Catholic News, official weekly of the New York archdiocese. In addition the administration's measure was attacked editorially in many official Catholic diocesan weeklies around the country.

He: Why get the plumber, dear? I'll fix it.  
She: Let it alone. You fixed the cuckoo clock, and every hour the bird backs out and says, "What time is it?"

## Parochial Bus - - -

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Constitutional issue had already been resolved in 1947 in the Everson V. Board of Education case in which payment of school transportation costs in New Jersey was upheld by a 5 to 4 decision of the court. Appellants had asked the court to review its Everson decision in the light of subsequent decisions.

Upheld Action  
The Connecticut case arose in 1958 when voters of Newtown township, under a "local option" law passed by the state legislature, voted to let 217 pupils of newly-established St. Rose's parochial school ride public school buses, as well as 1,481 students attending the public schools. The Connecticut Supreme Court upheld this action by a 4 to 1 decision.

The Connecticut Court held that the state's only interest was to see that children were safely transported to and from school, minimizing accidents and illness due to inclement weather.

## Race Issue - - -

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groups in the population. But, he pointed out, in countries where evangelical missions are not popular the race crises in America — played up in the foreign press — create difficulties for missionaries.

T. B. Maston, Professor of Christian Ethics at Southwestern Seminary, Fort Worth, declared, "Our people are sensitive to the impact of racial patterns in the South on the missionary enterprise."

Hugh A. Brimm of Louisville added, "I think if our people realize our attitudes are creating problems on foreign mission fields, they will change." Brimm teaches at Carver School of Missions and Social Work.

## SBC Cooperative - - -

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Cooperative Program income for February at \$1,402,784 was about \$5000 higher than January receipts.

February designated receipts amounted to \$4,213,259 showing the first effects of the December, 1960 Lottie Moon Offering for Foreign Missions.

## Sunday School Department

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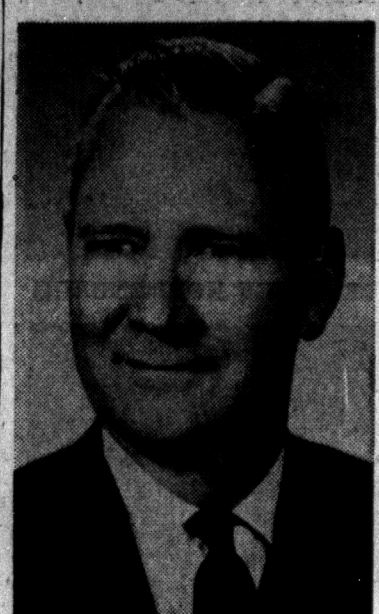
## MISSISSIPPI SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION PROGRAM

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH  
MARCH 12-15, 1961

Monday — March 13 — 2:00 p. m.	
2:00 "Lead Me, Teach Me" — To Sing	Gene Bartlett, Max Lyall
2:15 Special Music	Charles Tidwell
2:20 Welcome	Rev. Tom Rayburn, Calvary Staff
2:25 Program Direction	Bryant Cummings
2:30 "How We Use the Bible in the Sunday School"	Joe Davis
2:35 Heacock, Moderator	
1. Nursery — Mrs. A. B. Pierce	6. Young People — James Lackey
2. Beginner — Fairy Driggers	7. Adult — Crawford Howell
3. Primary — Robert Dowdy	8. Extension — Alton Yarbrough
4. Junior — Mrs. Lillian M. Rice	9. Cradle Roll — Mrs. Harold St. Gemme
5. Intermediate — Mrs. Roy Johnson	
3:10 Hymn	Gene Bartlett, Max Lyall
3:15 Special Music	Charles Tidwell
3:20 Conferences: Discussion and Participation	
NOTE: Kindergarten conference will not meet Monday afternoon	
Church Building Conferences, by appointment, with Mr. Evans	
4:30 Adjourn	
Monday Night — March 13 — 7:00 p. m.	
7:00 Conferences: Discussion and Participation	
7:15 Assemble in Auditorium	Gene Bartlett, Max Lyall
7:20 Music	Charles Richey
7:25 Soloist	Charles Richey
7:30 "RX for Better Leadership and Teaching"	Book Store
7:40 "Lead Me, Teach Me, Through the Sunday School To See Missions"	Dr. Chester L. Quarles
7:45 Soloist	Charles Richey
7:50 Adjourn	
Tuesday Morning — March 14 — 8:45 a. m.	
8:15 Pre-session fellowship — lower auditorium	
Coffee & doughnuts — Book Store browsing — exhibits	
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8:55 "Lead Me, Teach Me, Through the Sunday School"	Ellis Evans
9:00 "Training Fashions For '61"	Joseph M. Haynes, Others
9:05 Recess	
9:10 Music	Gene Bartlett, Max Lyall
9:15 "Between the Book Ends"	Jacquelyn Anderson, Mrs. R. L. Carter, Chester Vaughn
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9:25 Conferences: Discussion and Participation	
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2:05 Music	Gene Bartlett, Max Lyall
2:10 "The Standard HELPS You"	Gene Wilson
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7:10 Feature (Kindergarten)	James Barry
7:15 Feature "The Teacher"	God's Instrument for
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9:05 "The Sunday School — Spearhead of Power for Outreach"	J. Clark Hensley, chairman, Joe Davis Heacock, Carl Bates, Bob Dowdy, James Lackey
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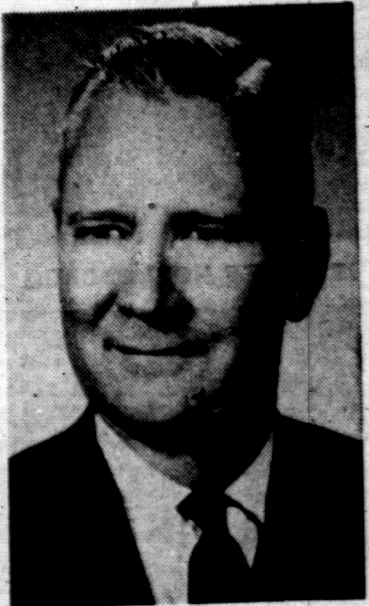
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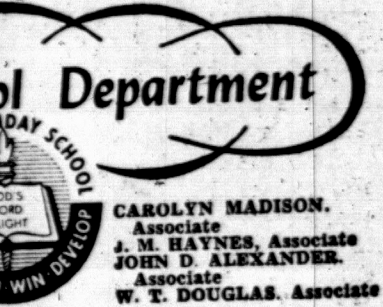
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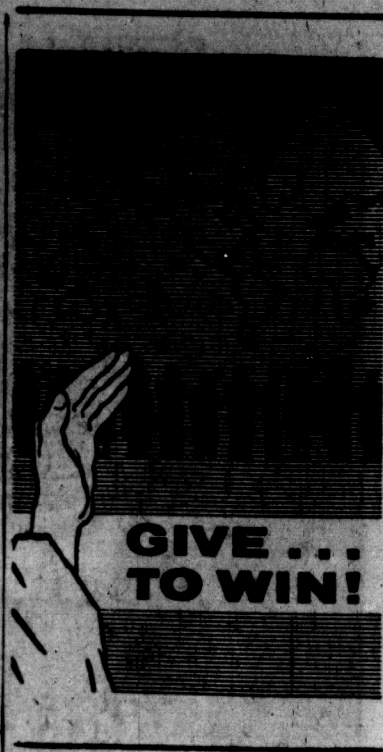
LOUISVILLE, KY. - Pictured are some of the spear points and knives which were given in the Conwell collection to the newly established anthropology museum of Carver School of Missions and Social Work, Louisville, Kentucky. Some of these points and knives are 16 inches long and 8 inches wide. They are extremely sharp on both edges.

## First Language Conference Meet Held In State

The first conference for directors of language missions to be held east of the Mississippi was conducted March 1-3 at Edgewater Gulf Hotel on the Mississippi coast.

Present were language missions directors from every section of the Convention, including Dr. Foy Rogers, Mississippi secretary of Cooperative Missions.

Directing the conference were Dr. Arthur Rutledge and Dr. Lloyd Corder, of the Home Mission Board, Atlanta.



### Music Department

W. C. MORGAN, Secretary  
MISS MARTHA WAGGONER, Office Secretary

### Six Pianos Needed for Gulfshore

We feel that there must be many pianos in the homes of people over the state of Mississippi that are not in use and perhaps some of you would like to donate one of these pianos for classroom work at Gulfshore Baptist Assembly. We would place a small plaque with the name of the donor and attach to the piano.

If you have a piano that is usable and would like to donate it to the Gulfshore Baptist Assembly through the Church Music Department, Mississippi Baptist Convention Board, please notify the Church Music

Department, Box 530, Jackson, Mississippi, and we will arrange to transport the piano from your home to the Gulfshore Baptist Assembly. We, of course, would like the pianos that could be re-conditioned without too much expense.

Rest assured that such a gift would be a great help at this time while we are equipping the Assembly to meet the needs of all the people and especially in the music work at the Assembly.

Thank you very much and looking forward to hearing from several of you.

# STATE SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

Calvary Baptist Church - Jackson - March 13-15, 1961

Theme: "Lead Me.... Teach Me"



Dr. Carl E. Bates  
Speaker

Dr. Chester L. Quarles  
Speaker

Dr. Joe Davis  
Heacock  
General Officers

### PROGRAM NOTES

1. Program begins Monday at 2:00 p. m.—Adjourns Wednesday noon.
2. Nursery and Beginner children cared for at all sessions; Primary children at night sessions only.
3. Conference time will receive major attention. There will be five (5) conference periods of one hour and fifteen minutes spent in each group and special conference.
4. Ellis Evans, Church Architectural Department, 127—9th Ave., North, Nashville 3, Tennessee, will be available for private conferences or meetings with Planning-Survey or Building Committees. Write directly to Mr. Evans for a scheduled conference or see him at convention.



Robert Dowdy  
Primary

Mrs. Lillian Moore Rice  
Junior

Mrs. Roy Johnson  
Intermediate

Dr. James Lackey  
Young People

Conference	Leader
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Max Lyall, Pianist, Oklahoma  
Mrs. Harold Lofton, Brookhaven  
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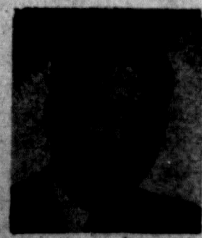
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1. Total teaching years will be recognized. This may be retired, current or accumulative teaching years. It need not be just the Sunday School or Baptist Church where current membership is held.
2. Five groups will be recognized in reserved sections at front of Calvary auditorium on this evening. A special pre-registration of these teachers will be held in foyer of Calvary Baptist Church beginning at 6:30 p. m.
  - (1) 30-39 Total Teaching Years
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  - (3) 50-59 Total Teaching Years
  - (4) 60-69 Total Teaching Years
  - (5) 70- plus Total Teaching Years
3. Pastors and general superintendents are urged to accompany or escort these teachers to the reserved sections.
4. Informal interviews will be conducted during this service.



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Audio Visual Aids



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General Chairman



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Married Y. People



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## EDITORIAL PAGE

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## The Fight Is On

There will be many who will be saying, "We told you so!" We are speaking of those who predicted last year that the election of a Roman Catholic president would open the door for a drive for public tax support for the Roman Catholic Church.

How right they were is seen by the fact that even though the President has been in office only a little more than a month, an intensive drive is already on to secure public funds for the support of Catholic parochial schools.

The issue is clearly drawn. Roman Catholic leadership has announced its determination to either get parochial schools included or kill the education bill. They have enlisted some outstanding members of Congress in support of their drive.

### Opposing Kennedy

The interesting thing is that the Catholic leaders are opposing Catholic President Kennedy on the issue. He has announced his determined stand against including private schools in the education bill, stating unequivocally that such aid would be unconstitutional. It remains to be seen, whether, if the private schools should be included in the bill, he would have the conviction to veto it. It now appears more likely however, that the attitude of the Catholic hierarchy may prevent the passage of any type of education bill.

Already the Roman Catholic church has received hundreds of millions of dollars of tax money for its hospitals. Now, her leaders are determined to get similar funds for their schools. If they are able to get this, it is not difficult to believe that they will soon seek tax support in other areas of their work.

### Loans

It is also true that Roman Catholic schools (and some other private schools) are already receiving loans under the National Defense Education Act. The U. S. Office of Education announced last November that it had at that time already loaned \$1,700,000 out of this fiscal year's allocation of \$6,480,000 for the "purchase of equipment and the remodeling and expansion of facilities for teaching science, mathematics and modern languages." The list of schools receiving the loans was announced, and up to that time almost 95% of the funds had gone to Roman Catholic parochial schools.

It is being argued that the "long-term, low-interest loans" such as are being suggested by Rep. McCormack of Massachusetts, and Sen. Wayne Morse of Oregon, are not actual grants, and, therefore, are not unconstitutional. The President is reported to have disagreed with this point of view, and so do most other Americans who believe in separation of Church and State.

It may be argued that many colleges (including Baptist) are already receiving such long-term, low interest loans. It should be remembered, however, that these loans are made only for self-liquidating projects, such as dormitories which will pay for themselves through rentals. Catholic institutions of higher learning are already eligible for these. Ordinary parochial schools, however, do not have dormitory rentals, or similar sources for making the loans self-liquidating. All the housing loans are limited to institutions of higher learning.

### All-Out Fight

It is our conviction that this is an all-out fight, and that Baptists and others, who believe in the separation of Church and state, must make their position clearly known. We believe that Mississippi's representatives in Congress should be encouraged to stand against the use of public funds for private institutions. They need to know the feeling of their constituents, therefore we believe that hundreds of Mississippians should send letters and telegrams to their Congressmen now. We can be sure that an avalanche of messages will flow into Washington from all over America favoring this effort to secure public funds for parochial schools. Those opposed must also make their convictions known.

If this were merely a political issue, the Baptist Record would say nothing. But when the push is on to secure public funds for religious institutions, we cannot be true to our trust and keep silent.

The liberties that have made America what she is can be lost if believers in absolute religious liberty and separation of Church and State keep silent in an hour like this.

## Training Union Curriculum

Announcement has been made by the Training Union Department of the Sunday School Board that a research project is being sponsored in which four of the seminaries will make a study of the program materials incorporated in the Training Union quarterlies.

We heartily approve of this project for we feel that, as fine as they are, teaching materials need occasional examination to see if they are fully meeting the needs of our Baptist people.

### Something Wrong

Something is woefully wrong in our teaching program when large numbers of our members have very little concept of Baptist doctrines and principles, and know so little about their Bibles. One need only ask the average Baptist concerning some basic doctrine of our faith to find out how hazy is his understanding of that or other doctrines, or how meager his knowledge of the Bible. We fear that the Baptist who does have clear understanding of doctrinal truth is the exception rather than the rule.

This is a weakness which cannot be passed lightly by. A Christian group is made strong only as it has knowledge of its beliefs and the truths of God's Word. Paul spoke of those who were still "babes" in Christ, when they should have grown into spiritual manhood. Knowledge of doctrine is not all that a person needs to grow spiritually, but it is one of the basic elements. People who have no knowledge of the great basic truths of doctrine will have little conviction concerning them.

### What Is Solution?

What is the solution to this problem? How shall our people be taught? The pulpit certainly is an important key. Pastors need to present the "milk" and the "strong meat" of the Word of God that these people may grow thereby. Organizations, such as the Sunday school, Woman's Missionary Union and the Brotherhood all have a part, and teaching doctrine should be included in their emphasis. However, we are convinced that one of the most effective sources we have in our Baptist churches for teaching and training church members is the Training Union. Because of its purpose, and its very name, the Training Union must bear a large part of the responsibility



## Wishing And Hoping

Hoping is not wishing. At least, it is not merely wishing. If wishing represents desire, then hoping is wishing, but it is more.

Robert James Dean, in his doctoral dissertation, "A Study of Hope in the New Testament," has demonstrated that Christian hope involves both desire and expectation. So, Dean concludes that hope for the Christian "is not the vague 'I hope so' of colloquial English usage, which means no more than 'I wish it were so.'"

Recognizing this shallow connotation of hope in our own casual conversation, we who are Christians sometimes substitute the more dogmatic (and obnoxious) "I know" for "I hope." In Philippians 1:20 Paul spoke of his "hope" that Christ would be magnified in his body. His use of the word "hope" shows that he was properly humble, as every Christian ought to be. At the same time, the word which he used signified without presumption what he both desired and expected would come to pass.

## The Baptist Forum

### Refuses To Accept Defeat

Dear Dr. Odle:

You have no doubt heard my plea over TV for money to build a new church at Beech Grove.

About twelve families make up our church, with about 36 members, 25 active members, all in the low income bracket, and we are just not able to build a church. We barely have a living, but manage to have half-time services and pay our pastor \$40 a Sunday. We give 10 per cent of all collections to the Cooperative Program and have the Every Family Plan of the Baptist Record.

Some of the members have given \$26.00 or \$30.00 on the

building fund, but we are far from our goal. We have about \$400.00.

I just do not want to accept defeat. Some of our members tell me it can't be done, but I will continue to pray that God through someone will send us the money.

Mrs. Hugh Rogers, clerk  
Beech Grove Baptist  
Church  
Pattison, Mississippi

A woman in the back seat of a car was worrying her husband, who sat behind the wheel. "And furthermore, Henry," she finished, "when we are driving, it is not necessary to preface every remark you make with 'Pilot to navigator.'"

if church members are not taught and developed.

### Are We Teaching Doctrine?

But are we teaching doctrine? At the recent Promotion Conference in Nashville, the Training Union Department presented to the conferees an 83 page survey of the lesson materials included in the Junior, Intermediate, Young People's and Adult Quarterlies for 1961. More than 335 different lessons in the eight or more quarterlies published for these age groups were surveyed.

The material in the lessons was classified under the following ten general classifications: Christian Life Commission; Church Administration; Church Related Vocation; Denomination; Education Commission; Evangelism; Family Life; Foreign Missions; Home Missions; and Stewardship.

While almost any of these areas of Christian living might be listed under the general classification of doctrine, most of them are not actually included in the great doctrines of grace which are basic to our faith. A hurried analysis of the approximately 335 programs studied, revealed that less than fifty of the programs can actually be classified as doctrinal, and the range of the doctrinal truths studied is very limited. This is a proportion of about one to seven as doctrinal programs. We wonder if this is a large enough emphasis.

Certainly we agree that every other program deals with an important field of Christian truth, and we would not take away emphasis from any of them. However, can there be real growth in Christian living, Christian homes, Christian citizenship, love for church, love for missions, etc., which is not based upon a foundation of the great truths of grace? We believe that when people have clear understanding and deep convictions concerning the fundamental truths of God's Word, they will be far more easily led to live those principles in their daily lives.

### Not Critical

We have no purpose of being critical of our Training Union leaders or of those who plan the program curriculum. We simply believe that the teaching of fundamental doctrine is so important, that it should be considered seriously by those who are making the survey of the programs. If the present doctrinal emphasis is too limited, this is an ideal time for finding it out and correcting it.

We believe that when Baptist people know the truths that make us Baptists they will be better Baptists. It might be well, while these surveys are being made, to consider the doctrinal content of all curriculum material. Every teaching agency must participate if we are to effectively indoctrinate our people.

## Let's Face The Issue

By C. M. Day, Director  
of Temperance Work

If the prohibition law of Mississippi had the respect of those who are sworn to uphold the law against sale, crime and distribution associated with liquor its activities and crime associated with it would be reduced to a minimum. Don't say prohibition is not popular. It has been put to the test several times in the past and the overwhelming popularity has been in favor of prohibition.

As long as beverage lists appear in public eating places and law officers come and go in these places and nothing is done to prevent this flagrant disrespect for law, there is proof that the law is being prostituted. Here is some of the wording listed on the beverage list: "Our perfectly blended drinks enhance our fine food." Then follows a list of drinks and the price of each. The same county where these things appear has a legislator

who is a member on the legislative temperance committee. This brings us to speak of another strange thing which, of course, is in the liquor favor; namely: both temperance committees from the senate and house have a majority of "wet" members. What does this indicate? First, it indicates that liquor interests have a great advantage; and secondly, it suggests that liquor sentiment is favored by those who are responsible for appointing the committees.

### Should Disapprove

Widespread publicity by beverage alcohol interests has been published in newspapers that the law firm of the chairman of the powerful rules committee of the Mississippi House of Representatives has been retained by the U. S. Brewers' Foundation to look after their interests. It would seem that every citizen of our state should disapprove of such action which gives another distinct advantage to liquor interests.

Another strange thing which happened during one of the heated arguments for legalization of liquor in the last legislature was that the statement was made from the floor that the widow and son of the late sheriff Mr. Polk of Marion County favored legalization of liquor, but fortunately the late Honorable Kelly Hammond, Representative from Marion County, challenged the statement upon authority that neither the widow nor the son made such a statement, but on the contrary they opposed legalization.

## Counselor's Corner

By Dr. R. Lofton Hudson

### "FORMER PASTORS"

QUESTION: Recently a former pastor held a revival in a church near us. Some of our members attended several services in spite of the fact that our revival was in progress at the same time. I know that

former pastor was embarrassed over the whole thing.

When will church members ever learn that the time to support a minister with a attendance gifts, and prayers is when he is pastor of their church? How many pastors and former pastors are heart sick because of this very thing?

ANSWER: Many. It is no complaint to the former pastor that these people galvanized over to hear him preach when their own church was having a revival. In fact, it is pretty good proof to the former pastor that he failed in his ministry to these people who left their own church during the revival.

In the meantime, be careful that you do not judge these church members. "Who art thou that judgest another man's servant? To his own master he standeth or falleth." (Romans 14:4).

(Address all questions to Dr. Hudson, 116 West 47th Street, Kansas City 12, Missouri.)

## Calendar of Prayer

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March 14 — Grady Cox, Mississippi College faculty; Earnest Palmer, Kemper associational Sunday school superintendent.

March 15 — Mrs. Gertrude Smith, William Carey College faculty; Mrs. A. W. Burt, Nebraska associational WMU president.

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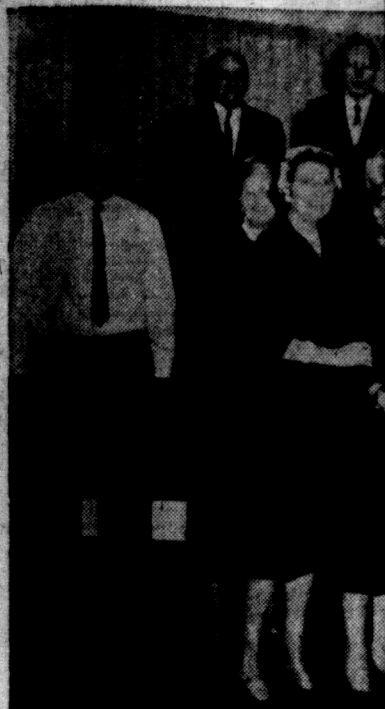
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# Issue

Another strange thing which happened during one of the heated arguments for legalization of liquor in the last legislature was that the statement made from the floor that the widow and son of the late Sheriff Mr. Polk of Marion County favored legalization of liquor, but fortunately the late honorable Kelly Hammond, representative from Marion County, challenged the statement upon authority that neither the widow nor the son made such a statement, but on the contrary they opposed legalization.

## Counselor's Corner

By Dr. R. Lofton Hudson

### "FORMER PASTORS"

QUESTION: Recently a former pastor held a revival in a church near us. Some of our members attended several services in spite of the fact that the revival was in progress at the same time. I know that the former pastor was embarrassed over the whole thing.

When will church members ever learn that the time to support a minister with a ten dollar salary and prayers is when he is pastor of their church? How many pastors and former pastors are heart-sick because of this very thing?

ANSWER: Many. It is no commitment to the former pastor at these people galvanized him to hear him preach when their own church was having a revival. In fact, it is pretty good proof to the former pastor that he failed in his ministry to these people who left their own church during the revival.

In the meantime, be careful that you do not judge these church members. "Who art thou that judgest another man's servant? To his own master he standeth or falleth." (Romans 14:4)

(Address all questions to Dr. Hudson, 116 West 47th Street, Kansas City 12, Missouri.)

### Calendar of Prayer

March 13 — Joel Ray, Superintendent of Missions, Lebanon Association; James A. Breland, Baptist Student Director, Delta State College.

March 14 — Grady Cox, Mississippi College faculty; Earnest Palmer, Kemper association Sunday school superintendent.

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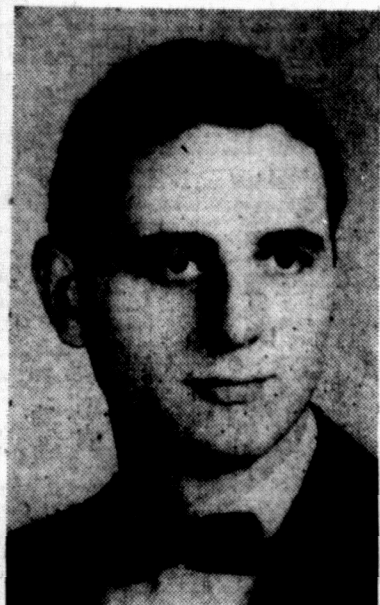
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and W.M.U. work as well as in Training Union.

Friends Came By Scores of friends came by personally and many sent letters which Dr. and Mrs. Canterbury placed in an album. Among her prized telegrams was one from Dr. Chester Swor who was in Columbus at

a conference. Mrs. Williams is the mother of Mrs. Bill Owen of Pittsburgh, Penn., and the late Col. L. R. Williams, Jr., of the Strategic Air Command.

She was serving as superintendent of mailing in the Baptist Record office until her retirement a few years ago.



Sidney Buckley

## Joins Staff At First, Gulfport

Sidney Buckley, student at New Orleans Theological Seminary, and a native of Columbia, Mississippi, has accepted the call of First Church, Gulfport, as Minister of Music.

A graduate of Pearl River Junior College and William Carey College, Buckley will receive the Master of Church Music degree from New Orleans Seminary in May, 1961. He plans to continue his seminary work until that time, being in Gulfport part-time until graduation.

Buckley has served as Minister of Music in the following churches while completing his education: North Columbia Church; Highland Church, Laurel; and Riverside Church, New Orleans, La.

Mrs. Buckley is the former Virginia Willoughby of Columbia. They have one daughter, Susan Lynn, age one.

While in New Orleans, Buckley has been active in opera work. He sang the bass role in "The Barber of Seville" presented by New Orleans Recreation Department Opera Workshop in October, 1960. He is scheduled to sing the bass role in "La Boheme" this spring. He has appeared with the New Orleans Concert Choir and is a member of the "Seminarians," the touring choir of New Orleans Seminary.

In the Gulfport church Buckley will assume leadership of a music program which numbers eight choirs and choral groups, including 300 individuals of all ages. Each of the choral groups has attained "superior" ratings in past state-wide festivals.

## State Meetings Feature Films

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — (BSB) — Sound films are being featured in state conference workshops on church buildings and architecture during 1961. W. A. Harrell, secretary of the Baptist Sunday School Board's Church Architecture Department, announces.

## New Sacred Records

Editor's Note: Many readers of the Baptist Record own phonographs or record players and are interested in new religious records. Because of that we are starting a column of record reviews. It will appear at least once a month and will carry reviews of religious records from a number of record companies. Any record reviewed may be ordered from the Baptist Book Store, but many of them will also be available at other music stores or record counters. The first few columns will contain more reviews than will ordinarily be presented when the section becomes a regular feature.

### Vocal

Songs From the Heart — Frank Boggs with the Don Hustad Choral and Orchestra. Word. 3110 LP.

One of the best-loved and most popular singers in the field of religious music, Frank Boggs here records a group of songs that may truly be called "songs from the heart. This great bass voice is accompanied by the Don Hustad Choral and Orchestra which provide effective background music and accompaniment.

You will want to get this album and listen to it as you play these songs: How Great Thou Art, Amazing Grace, I'd Rather Have Jesus, Blessed Redeemer, Jesus is All the World to Me, Then Jesus Came, Stranger of Galilee, No One Ever Cared For Me Like Jesus, The Old Rugged Cross, Balm in Gilead, My Heavenly Father Watches Over Me, It Is No Secret.

Pinnacles of Praise — Bill Pearce and Dick Anthony with the Concert Orchestra of London. Arranged and conducted by Paul Mickelson. Word. 3075 —LP.

Bill Pearce and Dick Anthony have a remarkable blending of voices. They have developed a quality of duet singing which many enjoy. Paul Mickelson arranged the music and conducted the big Concert Orchestra to complement their style of singing. Included in this album are such well-known numbers as: Saved, Great Thou Art, Sweeter As Saved, Ivory Palaces, How Great Thou Art, Sweeter as the Years Go By, Jesus Led Me All the Way, There's a

New Song in My Heart, He Whispered Peace Be Still. Bill Mann — Lyric Tenor. Accompaniment includes orchestra, woodwinds and guitar. Word. 3105.

Songs recorded are: Somebody Bigger Than You and I, Spirit of God Descend Upon My Heart, Sunrise, In the Bleak Midwinter, Just a Closer Walk With Thee, Abide With Me; Jesus, Jesus, Rest Your Head, His Hands, In the Hour of Trial, The Peace That Gives, A Heart Like Thine, Leave It There.

### Choral

Anthems of Praise and Rejoicing — The Mitzelfelt Choral (Mixed Voices) H. Vincent Mitzelfelt, Conductor. Lowell Enoch, Organist. Alma Records. Monophonic — MC-4023. Stereophonic — MC-113. The Heavens Are Telling, And The Glory of the Lord, O Divine Redeemer, Light Divine, Bless the Lord, Pilgrims' Chorus, Alleluia, God So Loved The World, The Lord Is My Light.

Members of the Mitzelfelt Choral are all trained musicians brought together as an outstanding choral group. This album was recorded at the First Congregational Church of Long Beach California, a location selected for its outstanding acoustical qualities and its powerful four manual, 81 rank Moller organ. This album represents a careful selection of majestic and sublime music that is beautifully interpreted.

16 Singing Men — Volume Two. Scott Douglass, Director. Zondervan Victory Recording. LP-554.

The Love of God, O Master Let Me Walk With Thee, Do You Wonder, That Beautiful Name, My Jesus I Love Thee. Softly and Tenderly, Over the Sunset Mountains, Spirit of God, Descend Upon, Who Cares, The Stranger of Galilee, The Mercies of God.

On this recording you will hear 16 male voices accompanied by such effects as ladies' quartet, string bass, guitar and clarinet. It is described by the



LEADERS CONFER during the Training Union Enlargement Clinic and Leadership Workshop held in Hinds County last week. From left: Versil Creashaw, director of Intermediate Work, and Miss Frances Whitworth, director of Junior Work, Training Union Department, Sunday School Board, Nashville, Tenn.; Kermit S. King, state Training Union Director, and Harvey Gibson, Director of Adult Work, of the Nashville Department.

## T. U. Clinic Sets New Hinds Record

It is believed that Hinds County Baptists set a new attendance record last week for a strictly Hinds County Baptist meeting when 1255 people attended the opening session of the Training Union Enlargement Clinic and Leadership Workshop held at First Baptist Church.

Attendance for the week averaged 1206 with enrollment reaching a total of 1725.

Forty-four churches participated, with 42 of them having consultants. Twenty-three classes were held with 14 of them for adults.

There were 900 adults in attendance out of the total that participated.

### 39 New Unions

During the week there were organized 39 new unions and 38 new departments with 111 new workers enlisted.

Future plans called for many more new units and new workers as offered "for relaxation and meditation."

The campaign was sponsored jointly by the Training Union Department of the Sunday School Board, Nashville, the State Training Union Department and the Hinds County Baptist Association.

A large group of leaders from over the Southern Baptist Convention were here to conduct the clinic and workshop.

NASHVILLE — (BP) — Mrs. B. L. (Norma) Dillingham of Nashville has been employed as editorial assistant for the Southern Baptist Convention Stewardship Commission here. Executive Director Merrill D. Moore of Nashville said Mrs. Dillingham will assist in production of Forward Program of Church Finance and other stewardship printed materials. She will be a contact with the Baptist Sunday School Board, which sells the Commission's material.

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## Grad Students To Be Restricted By Seminary

LOUISVILLE — (BP) — Southern Baptist Seminary here won't admit more graduate students at least until September, 1962.

Theology faculty at the seminary took the action. Seminary officials said this complies with a report in 1959 from the American Association of Theological Schools (AATS).

In a companion action, the trustee executive committee voted to pay a full year's salary to 12 professors who resigned after differences in 1958. Graduate degrees affected are the master of Theology and Doctor of Theology.

**Applies to New Applicants**  
"This will permit completion of the work of an accumulation of graduate students and facilitate the establishment of a proper ratio of the number of faculty and graduate students," a seminary statement read.

This means there will be no effect on graduate students now enrolled. The action applies to new applicants.

"The recent temporary suspension of admissions to the graduate program on the part of the faculty of the School of Theology is one such step" taken to comply with accrediting recommendations, according to the statement.

## Georgia Choir To Appear At MC

The Georgia State College for Women A Capella Choir will present a concert 8:00 Monday night March 13 in the Nelson Hall Auditorium on the Mississippi College Campus.

Directed by Max Noah, who has been at Georgia State College for Women for 25 years, the choir is composed of fifty voices. Their program includes numbers ranging from the earliest periods of Bach, Palestrina, and Brahms to such moderns as Holst, Hovhanness, and Kodaly.



Rev. John Hilbun

## GLENDALE CALLS PASTOR

Rev. John Hilbun has accepted a call to the Glendale Church, Hattiesburg, as pastor. He assumed his duties on February 13.

A native of Jones County, he attended Jones County Jr. College, and recently graduated from New Orleans Seminary.

Prior to coming to Glendale, Rev. Hilbun held pastorates at Oral church, Lamar County, East Moss Point church, Moss Point and others.

He served as moderator of the executive committee of the Lamar Association while at Oral church. In 1956 East Moss Point led the state in baptisms and was in the top 10 churches in 1955-57.

He is married to the former Jerry Warren of Jones County. They are the parents of 3 daughters, Cynthia, 4, Elizabeth, 3, and Beverly, 10.

Rev. John Hilbun is the son of Rev. B. S. Hilbun, now retired and living on his farm west of Laurel. Rev. B. S. Hilbun pastored churches in Mississippi as well as a number of other states.

ABILENE, Texas Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene, Tex. has named one of its women's dormitories for a Dallas Baptist woman, Mrs. Fred M. Laage, and dedicated the building to the spiritual, social and cultural development of the school's women students.

## Don't Let Evil Get You Down

By Rev. Malcolm R. Lovell  
Pastor, Merigold Church

Pessimism is still a perennial problem for victorious Christianity. Each year produces a new prophet of doom and despair. While we must be Christian realists, we must not be "perplexed unto despair." In fact, the Apostle Paul admonishes us in Romans 12:21:

"Be not overcome of evil, but overcome evil with good."

This admonition contains both a passive and an active element. When viewed from both avenues, it takes on a wholesome Christian attitude toward life.

### Passive Element

The passive element, "be not overcome with evil," gives us practical advice concerning sin. It says be not naive about the force of the devil. Don't let life blindfold you to the ever presence of hell incarnated in both man and things.

Don't be deceived into believing that evil is not present and active. J. Edgar Hoover is credited with saying that every person in America, given the right environment, is potentially a criminal. While we may shudder at this idea, it is very close to the idea of the Apostle Paul as he reminds the New Testament Christians who and what they were prior to their experience of grace. Let us also forget, were it not for the grace of God, this earth would become hell on earth.

### Evil Is Real

Since the presence of evil is a reality, the Apostle would encourage us not to be sidetracked from the path of godliness. Dr. Baker James Cauthen, speaking before the Southern Baptist Convention in Louisville, Kentucky, turned to the assembled missionaries and told them the hard reality of life. He said, "They (the forces of evil) will try to get you to come home." This truth is applicable to every Christian. Don't let the evil around you cause you to quit. It doesn't take much wind to blow a dead leaf off a tree. Therefore, continue to be faithful to the service of Christ in spite of the legions of the damned.

### Active Element

The active element, "but overcome evil with good," becomes our marching orders. We are not to sit idly by and let the satanic forces occupy the ramparts. Instead, we are to realize that the force of the gospel is to be used. Emerson said that your goodness is not any good unless it has some edge on it. Thus we are to let the power of the gospel weld us into a force so mighty that even the gates of hell cannot stand against the attack.

Let us not be anemic or apologetic about our faith. Let us activate it until even the imps will scurry to their stalls for midnight prayers. Yet, let it be the force of godliness. "For not with swords loud clashing, Nor roll of stirring drums: With deeds of love and mercy, The heavenly kingdom comes."

## Lawrence Plans Evangelism And Stewardship Meet

The Lawrence County Association has announced a 2-day Evangelistic Stewardship Conference to be held March 10-11

at the Monticello Church.

Featured speakers will be Rev. Howard Aultman, Columbia; Dr. Leroy Green, Prentiss; Rev. John Hilbun, Hattiesburg, and Rev. Swinton Futch, Monticello.

Sessions are scheduled for 7 p. m. Friday and 9 a. m., 2 p. m., and 7 p. m. Saturday.

## Jack Hamm Goes With Standard

DALLAS — (BP) — Jack Hamm, religious cartoonist from Waco, Tex., has joined the Baptist Standard as staff artist.

Hamm, whose religious cartoons are used in syndicated features in more than 200 newspapers throughout the nation, will devote half his time to work on the Baptist Standard, and continue to send out his free lance work for other publications.

SAN ANGELO, Tex. — (BP)

A contract to draw plans for a 75-bed addition and a new cafeteria and kitchen facilities at Baptist Memorial's Geriatrics Hospital here has been let by the institution's Board of Trustees.

## Revival Results

Linn: Rev. Barney Walker, Sr., Jackson, evangelist; Gwen Madden, Roundaway Church, pianist; Rev. J. I. Jacobs, pastor and song leader; 25 decisions for Christ, 16 for baptism; one addition by letter; seven definite dedications; one surrendering for special service.

Lambert, First, February

19-24; Rev. Maurice Clayton, Southside Church, Meridian, evangelist; Rev. John B. Daley, First Church, Marks, song leader; Rev. Joe A. Mayer, pastor; six professions of faith; 25 decisions and dedications.



WINFRED KEEN was licensed for the gospel ministry recently by the Byram Church.

He plans to study at Mississippi College. Mr. Keen is the thirteenth preacher to be ordained or licensed by Byram Church. The church now has six preachers in its membership. Rev. Henry J. Bennett is pastor.

## McGraw Succeeds Ferrell On Staff Children's Village

Rev. Karl McGraw of Centerville, has succeeded Rev. Marvin R. Ferrell as spiritual advisor and director of church-related activities at the Baptist Children's Village according to the superintendent, Paul N. Nunnery.

Mr. Ferrell, who has been associated with the Baptist Children's Village since February 1, 1960 as an Administrative Assistant, submitted his resignation under date of March 2, 1961 in order to attend to pressing personal problems before resuming his education.

Superintendent Nunnery stated that the resignation of Rev. Ferrell was accepted with keen regret.

He also said that he felt the institution was most fortunate to secure the services of Mr. McGraw, who, together with Mrs. Nancy McGraw, his wife, came on the staff approximately one month ago as houseparents for teen-aged boys.

### Native of State

Mr. McGraw is a native of Centerville, a graduate of Clarke College in Newton; has attended Georgetown College in Georgetown, Kentucky, and is presently completing his work toward a degree at Mississippi College.

He was ordained to the ministry on Sept. 3, 1950. Pastorates held by him include: Harmony Mission, Vicksburg; Mt. Pleasant Church, Madison, Indiana; Bullittsburg Church, Burlington, Kentucky, and Kenton Church, Kenton, Kentucky.

Rev. and Mrs. McGraw served for one year on the staff at Pinecrest, a Baptist Home for Children in Kentucky, where they both worked in capacities identical to those they now occupy at the Baptist Children's Village.

Mrs. McGraw is the former Nancy Stanger, daughter of Rev. L. W. Stanger of Greensburg, Kentucky. The McGraws have no children.

## Revival Dates

Cartersville, Hattiesburg (Lebanon): March 19-24; Rev. T. W. Terral, pastor, Pineville Park Church, Pineville, Louisiana, evangelist; John Nelson, music director; Janet Lynch and Bonnie Faye Harper, pianists; Rev. James Pitts, pastor.

Calvary, Greenwood: March 19-24; Rev. Mack Douglas, pastor, Tower Grove Church, St. Louis, Missouri, evangelist; J. W. Hickson, Jr., music director; Rev. Wilburn Matthews, pastor.

Shaw Church: March 13-19, Rev. C. O. Lindsey, evangelist (pastor, First Church, Union); Rev. W. W. Tynes, pastor.

Corinth Church (Leake County): Carthage: March 12-17; Rev. V. B. Roane, pastor, preaching.

Bethsaida (Neshoba County): Mar. 12-17; Rev. Kermit Sharp, Salem Church, Kemper County, evangelist; Rev. Paul McDonald, pastor.

Juniper Grove (Pearl River): March 12-19; Rev. Edward Jenkins, pastor and evangelist; Charles Powell, Minister of Music, song leader.

Mosely Memorial: March 12-17; Rev. Paul Patterson, pastor, Oakland Grove Church, evangelist; Harold Walker, Jr., music director; Rev. H. L. Davis, pastor.

Philadelphia, First: March 12-19; Dr. James W. Middleton, First Church, Shreveport, Louisiana, evangelist; Reid Moore, music director, First Church, Jackson, music; Rev. Roy Colburn, pastor.

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KEEPS MISSISSIPPI BAPTIST PEOPLE INFORMED



THE NEW PASTORIUM at First Church, Moss Point, pictured above, was made a memorial to the late John H. Hill, at a recent ceremony.

## First, Moss Point, Dedicates \$36,500 Pastorium

The recently completed pastorium of First Church, Moss Point, was made a memorial

to the late John H. Hill at ceremony held recently. This was done by action of the church because of a substantial gift left in his will for capital needs.

The pastor's home was completed at a total cost of \$36,500. It consists of four bedrooms, three baths, family room, living room, dining room, kitchen, utility room, study, double carport with storage rooms and a large patio. The brick veneered home is

all weather conditioned. Wall to wall carpeting was used in the living room, dining room, foyer, two bedrooms and study.

The colonial style pastorium was designed by Miss Beverly Bradley, of W. I. Rosamond & Associates of Columbus; H. A. L. Construction Company of Picaune was the builder.

The Building Committee consisted of Dr. J. T. Thompson, Chairman; Jack May; James Swann; Dr. John Lamey; Mrs. N. C. Everett; and Mrs. Arthur Jones.

Rev. Van H. Hardin is pastor.

## Two Institutions Win Top Awards

VALLEY FORGE, Pa. (PA)

Two Southern Baptist institutions, the Radio and Television Commission in Fort Worth, and Howard College in Birmingham, have won Freedoms Foundation Awards for outstanding public service.

Both institutions will receive the George Washington Medal of Honor, the Freedoms Foundation announced here on Washington's birthday.

The award went to Howard College for its "outstanding achievement in helping to bring about a better understanding of the American way of life through its American heritage program."



CAROL BOND, member of Juniper Grove Church, Pearl River Association, Rev. Edward Jenkins, pastor, in a recent service at Gulfshore Assembly, received the YWA citation, the highest honor accorded a member of Young Woman's Auxiliary. Last summer Miss Bond was a summer missionary in California. Recently she helped to organize a YWA at Oak Hill Church, Pearl River County. (This organization has been named for her.) Mrs. Curtis Smith is YWA Director at Juniper Grove.

## MRS. FIKES DIES AT 90

On February 8, Mrs. J. W. Fikes, a member of the Oak Grove Baptist Church, Scott County, was called from a long life of 90 years to be with her Saviour.

Dr. A. A. Kitchings, former faculty member at Mississippi College, now retired, her former pastor, wrote concerning her:

"Hers was a life of service—Christian, domestic, civic, educational, helpful in myriads of ways."

"At her funeral the flowers and friends gave a thrilling attestation of the high esteem in which she was held by all who knew her."

"She will be missed, many will walk in the gleam of her wonderful light."

## CARMEL MEN INVADE THE KITCHEN

At Carmel Church, Lawrence County, the Brotherhood recently invited the whole church to a supper which they planned, prepared, produced, and presented. (The men also washed the dishes!)

J. William Hedgepath, President of the Brotherhood, led in the preparations by assigning Shelby Russell, Wendell Russell, and Lucian Rollins to the Planning Committee.

Lucian Rollins, Shelby Russell, Larry Rollins, David Hedgepath, and Farris Nelson were the "creators" of the fried chicken. J. William Hedgepath and Aublyn Ballard tossed the salad. W. J. McClelland was in charge of the coffee pot and tea. Many others shared in the task of arranging the tables, setting the tables, and making every one comfortable. This list included: L. G. Russell, Wendell Russell, James Cox, Marvin Davis, Guy Mitchell, Bill Rutledge, and others.

The pastor, Rev. Wallace H. Whatley, was "chief taster." (Of course, he was amply assisted.)

A. P. Smith, prominent layman of the Monticello Church, was the guest speaker.



REV. T. R. COULTER, SR. on March 13 will complete his

tenth year as pastor of Eastview Church, Jones County. Under his leadership a new sanctuary and two-story educational building have been constructed—the property is now valued at more than a quarter of a million dollars. This includes the purchase of new property, including a house, and the grading and paving of a parking lot at a cost of \$9,000. Three hundred twenty-five have been added to the church, more than half of these for baptism. The budget has increased by three to four times its size of ten years ago, with Cooperative Program offerings increasing each year. Two new preachers have gone out from the church in recent years.

## O'Daniel Moves To Arkansas

On Wednesday, March 1, Rev. William O'Daniel completed his service as pastor of the Trinity Church in Desoto County.

He has accepted the pastorate of the Fair Oaks Church in Fair Oaks, Arkansas, where he began his duties March 5.

Under the leadership of Rev. O'Daniel, at Trinity, six people professed Christ. A Brotherhood was organized and progress was shown in youth work.

Mike: "That's a queer pair of socks you have on, Pat — one red and the other green."

Pat: "Yes, and I've got another pair like it at home."

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Editor's Note: of the Month was Mississippi Baptist member and reform in the week, however, denser version mon.

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WASHINGTON Jubilee Advance made plans in for the Baptists of No know each other be

Representatives of Baptist groups in States and Canada sent for their session here. The gro

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This year, 1961, anniversary of Sun an's Missionary Un ary to the South Convention, will cor in May at its mee Louis.

In 1886, at Fairmo Virginia, the first Band was organized George Braxton Ta pastor of the church

In July, a week of Sunbeam Focus Wed 13-19), the Baptist R carry a special feat history and work of

A committee of le recently at Camp near Clinton, the S Camp, to plan for observance.

Attending were M Carpenter, Pontoco, of the Sunbeam Coe the State WMU Boas as the following Bo bers:

Mrs. E. W. Clint cello; Mrs. Luther I tiesburg; Mrs. W. B Philadelphia; Mrs. J Soso; Mrs. Willie Me rel; and Mrs. Georg Sr., of Waynesboro.

Also attending wer wina Robinson, state Secretary, WMU, Waudine Storey, state Director.

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Mr. Smith said biblical archeology Holy Land he was missionary that the mission need in Jord preachers. "He s archeology trip for Mr. Smith, "for time on I could th the need for Christ where Christ once not of the stones t to tell his story."

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